

SPEAKER NICHOL PRESIDING

SPEAKER NICHOL: Our Chaplain this morning is Reverend Ray Daniel of the College View Adventist Church. Would you please rise.

REVEREND DANIEL: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER NICHOL: Reverend Daniel, we appreciate your coming and giving us your blessing this morning. Thank you. Please record your presence. Please record your presence. Record, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Quorum present, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Any corrections to the Journal this morning?

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read correction to the Journal as found on page 239 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER NICHOL: Thank you. How about messages, reports or announcements this morning?

ASSISTANT CLERK: I have none of those at this time, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Richard Peterson, are you prepared to handle LR 21? Senator Schmit will probably be in in a few minutes. Just a minute...well, go ahead. Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, LR 21 is offered by Senator Schmit and Peterson and it is found on page 237 of the Journal.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Peterson.

SENATOR PETERSON: Mr. President and colleagues, it is indeed a pleasure to say a few words here in behalf of this resolution to honor Hallmark in the seventy-fifth year and next Wednesday evening is a big celebration in Kansas City. Today you often hear people say that American production is shoddy, that our products are designed to break down or become obsolete as soon as the warranty expires. In contrast to this it is refreshing and encouraging to honor a company and an individual dedicated to excellence, to